

Furniture Department

We wish to advise you that our stock of House-hold Furnishings is very complete at present, and any purchases contemplated now or for the Holiday Season can be well taken care of.

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MORENCI,

Phelps Dodge Mercantile Co

ARIZONA.

The Morenci Leader

Harlow Brubaker, of Clifton, was a business visitor in Morenci the first of this week.

The young son of W. O. Ashley has been seriously ill during the past week.

Adam Knapp and family left here on Wednesday morning for Fredericksburg, Texas, where they will visit for an extended time.

Harry P. Hill left Morenci recently for his old home in Austin, Texas, where he will visit home folks during the enforced idleness here.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Fraser and daughter left here this week on an extended visit with her relatives in the valley.

W. B. Bellamy, P. D. M. Co. jeweler, accompanied by C. J. Dan Lewis and I. L. Quist, left here by automobile on Friday morning for Phoenix, Arizona, where they will attend the State Fair during the next two weeks. The boys will enjoy several side trips during their visit.

Mrs. Geo. E. Headicke and baby returned home on Thursday evening from her old home near Detroit, Mich. where she has been visiting home folks for some months.

About thirty members of Morenci Lodge No. 22, I. O. O. F. gathered in the lodge room on Wednesday evening for a business session, and owing to the absence of certain officers in the lodge, temporary officers were named to fill their places. The business part of the meeting occupied only a short time and at the close a general social session was enjoyed. Several boxes of cigars were provided and cards were a pleasing amusement until the midnight hour.

A bunch of young men among the Mexicans made a contribution, toward a dance last week and on Monday evening of this week the affair was held in the Morenci Club. A large Mexican orchestra furnished the music for the affair which was continued until the early morning. This dance was one of the largest of its kind ever given here.

The death of Joe Guillemont, D. C. M. Company electrician, occurred at the company hospital on Sunday evening, resulting from the recent accident when he fell from a pole while replacing a light globe. On Monday afternoon the funeral was held from the Catholic church and a number of old friends assisted as pallbearers. A firing squad of Co.

M. Arizona National Guard was in attendance and after the burial at Bunkers cemetery, military honors were bestowed. The deceased has one sister in France and an uncle in Los Angeles.

Morenci weather that has continued so warm and agreeable during the past many months, received an unlooked for jolt on Wednesday of this week, when a rapid change in temperature occurred on Tuesday evening followed by snow on Wednesday morning. At noon, however, the sun was out again as usual.

Quite an addition has been made at Morenci Chapel during the past several weeks in the shape of a Ballooning, or what is more commonly known as a "Magic Lantern," and this new machine will be used principally in teaching the Sunday school children by actual photographs of scenes taken in the Holy Land. Several hundred slides have been procured for the purpose and without a doubt much good will be accomplished in teaching the children by the impression of a real photograph. Rev. Allan Krichbaum has devoted two Sunday evenings also to showing and explaining some of the pictures and the time has been spent in a most interesting manner to the entire congregations on both occasions. The hymns sung during the services were also thrown on the screen making it a real incentive to enjoy the singing. If the pictures prove the anticipated success, many others will be added and special Sunday evening lectures will probably be given in the near future.

Doubtless, former King Manuel hopes the new Portugal revolt will succeed in having a royal good time.

Now that Italy has definitely embarked in war against Turkey, the latter doesn't care to receive any more reasons why.

Cut out that limelight, Colonel, it begins to show up some of your bad spots.

Some of our powder-making plants have been given quite a blowing up.

We're all watching and waiting for the German explanation to begin to explain.

Sixty tons of prunes are being packed daily at Walla Walla, Wash. This news will bring joy to the embattled boarding houses of America.

GOVERNMENT CROP REPORT

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 8.—A summary of preliminary estimates of crop production, and prices, for the State of Arizona and for the United States, compiled by the Bureau of Crop Estimates (and transmitted through the Weather Bureau), U. S. Department of Agriculture, is as follows:

Corn
STATE—Estimate this year 620,000 bushels, final estimate last year 575,000; price November 1 to producers 140 cents per bushel, year ago 105 cents.

UNITED STATES—Estimate this year 3,090,000,000 bushels, final estimate last year 2,673,000,000; November 1 price 61.9 cents, year ago 70.6 cents.

Wheat
STATE—Estimate this year 1,160,000 bushels, final estimate last year 868,000; price November 1 to producers 122 cents per bushel, year ago 106 cents.

UNITED STATES—Estimate this year 1,002,000,000 bushels, final estimate last year 891,000,000; November 1 price 93.1 cents, year ago 97.2 cts.

Oats
STATE—Estimate this year 342,000 bushels, final estimate last year 336,000; price November 1 to producers 62 cents per bushel, year ago 65 cents.

UNITED STATES—Estimate this year 1,517,000,000 bushels, final estimate last year 1,441,000,000; November 1 price 34.9 cents, year ago 42.9 cents.

Barley
STATE—Estimate this year 1,330,000 bushels, final estimate last year 1,260,000; price November 1 to producers 50 cents per bushel, year ago 60 cents.

UNITED STATES—Estimate this year 236,682,000 bushels, final estimate last year 194,953,000; November 1 price 50.1 cents, year ago 51.7 cts.

Potatoes
STATE—Estimate this year 100,000 bushels, final estimate last year 110,000; price November 1 to producers 92 cents per bushel, year ago 110 cents.

UNITED STATES—Estimate this year 359,000,000 bushels, final estimate last year 405,921,000; November 1 price 60.8 cents, year ago 52.8 cts.

Apples
STATE—Estimate this year 40,000 bbls., final estimate last year 33,000

price October 15 to producers \$1.90 per bushel, year ago \$1.45.

UNITED STATES—Estimate this year 76,700,000 bbls., final estimate last year 84,400,000 bbls.; price October 15 to producers \$2.14 per bbl., year ago \$1.79.

STATES TO SHARE \$850,000 FROM NATIONAL FORESTS

Secretary of Treasury Approves Annual Division of Receipts for School and Road Purposes.

Washington, Nov. 9.—The portion of the National Forest receipts for the fiscal year 1915 to go to the benefit of the various States in which the Forests lie, according to the computation of the Forest Service just approved by the Secretary of the Treasury, amounts all told to more than \$850,000. The gross receipts for the year ending June 30 were \$2,481,468.35, of which under the law 45 per cent is paid over to the States for county school and road purposes and an additional 10 per cent is made available for expenditure by the Secretary of Agriculture in building roads and trails for the benefit of local communities.

The total amount to be expended under this system of sharing the Forest receipts with the States to make up for the loss of local taxes due to public ownership of the land is about \$16,000 greater than for the previous fiscal year, as the receipts for the fiscal year 1915, exceeded those of the previous fiscal year by about \$44,000.

The provision of law under which a portion of the receipts is turned over to the States dates from 1906, and the total payments reach, with this year's allotment, nearly \$4,500,000. This ten per cent provision for government-built public roads has been in force only since 1912, and has now made available for this purpose an aggregate of \$926,000.

The ship of state Wm. J. Bryan now interned "somewhere in Nebraska" has been torpedoed. Secretary Lansing will serve wine at all diplomatic banquets where he is host.

The relegation of Theodore Roosevelt to obscurity continues to be discussed without inviting the cooperation on his part which seems essential to the enterprise.

RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR METAL MINES.

A publication of considerable interest to the metal mining districts of the United States has just been issued by the Bureau of Mines, under title, "Rules and Regulations for Metal Mines." It is to be known as Bulletin 75 and the authors are W. R. Ingalls, J. Parke Channing, James Douglas, James R. Finlay, and Jno. Hays Hammond. The Committee was originally appointed at a meeting of the American Mining Congress at Denver, Colorado, in November, 1906, and its object was the drafting of a modern law governing quarrying and metalliferous mining which could be recommended to the several States for adoption, in the hope that the passage of such a uniform law by the mining States would tend to lower the number of fatal and serious accidents.

Now we are informed by an anti-suffragist that the Roman Empire fell because women went into politics. Just the other day an English writer insisted that it fell because Rome abandoned military conscription in favor of voluntary service. Previously we had learned that Rome fell because of its mosquitoes, because of the Germans, because of Christianity, because of absentee landlordism, and a dozen or two other causes. The one sure thing about Rome is that it fell. And what a lucky thing that was for modern moralists.

NO REPRIEVES FOR MURDERERS

If the five Mexicans who escaped the gallows at the last moment, May 29, get further leases on life, it will have to come from the state supreme court before whom their cases are pending at the present time.

Attorney-General Wiley Jones, a member of the pardon board, states that as far as the board is concerned, it has taken final action in the cases of the five men.

Attorney F. C. Stuckeymeyer has filed briefs in the cases before the supreme court.

GAMBLING TO OPEN AT NACO

With the arrival of one of Hipolito Villa's managers from the city of Juarez, at Naco, yesterday, the general gossip of the town, it became a certainty that Naco would soon be one of the light spots along the Mexican border within a very few days.

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EDWARD RUBEN, Secretary.